

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Wu, James X.  
Art Unit : 1745  
Examiner : Cantelmo, Gregg  
Serial No. : 10/638,849  
Filed : August 11, 2003  
Confirmation No. : 4449  
For : ALKALINE ELECTROCHEMICAL CELL  
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RESPONSE A

AMENDMENT UNDER 1.111

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated September 16, 2004, and with consideration to the enclosed Three Month Petition and Fee for Extension of Time (37 C.F.R. 1.136 [a]), please amend the above-identified application as follows: